Mountain Weather Forecast

South Grampian and Southeast Highlands

Including South and East Cairngorms National Park, Aberdeenshire and Angus Hills, Ben Vrackie, Ben Lawers, Loch Tay and Ochils
Forecast valid from 00:00 on Sunday 27 Nov 2022 until 23:59 on Monday 28 Nov 2022

Forecast Issued on Saturday 26 Nov 2022 at 15:02 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: High for cold, windy conditions on Sunday followed by a spell of more settled weather early next week. Low for Wednesday and Thursday with some uncertainty in the position and timing of fronts arriving from the Atlantic.

Headline for Sunday 27 Nov 2022: Cold and windy. A few showers in the west, wintry on the tops.

Mountain weather hazards on Sunday 27 Nov 2022

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
Low Likelihood

Gales
Medium Likelihood

Severe chill effect
Medium Likelihood

Poor visibility
Low Likelihood

Thunderstorms
Low Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Strong sunlight
No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation 800m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Heavy Rain	Sleet showers (night)	Sleet showers (night)	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sleet showers (night)	Sleet showers (night)
Precipitation probability							
70%	50%	40%	30%	20%	20%	40%	40%

Forecast for Sunday 27 Nov 2022

Weather: Occasional showers overnight, some heavy with hail and lightning possible, but mostly dying out by dawn. A mostly dry but cold day with sunny spells, but there will be a few isolated showers mainly across western ranges. All showers falling as sleet or snow above 800m.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 80%.

Low Cloud and visibility: Visibility good for most of the time but locally poor in any showers, especially in snow showers on upper slopes. Patchy low cloud and fog above 700 or 800m mainly in the west with little cloud across more eastern ranges.

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Forecast for Sunday 27 Nov 2022

Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1100	48/59 S	50/61 SW	43/54 SW	40/50 SW	40/51 SW	41/53 S	38/49 S	30/39 S	25/32 S
900	33/43 S	32/43 SW	30/40 SW	28/38 SW	29/40 SW	29/40 S	27/39 S	21/30 S	18/26 S
600	22/39 S	23/41 SW	22/39 SW	20/36 SW	21/37 SW	20/37 S	20/36 S	14/27 S	12/23 S
300	14/32 S	11/28 W	11/28 SW	12/29 SW	13/29 SW	5/18 SW	7/17 S	7/18 S	6/14 S
Glen	12/28 S	10/25 SW	11/26 SW	13/29 SW	13/27 SW	5/13 SW	6/15 SW	8/20 S	5/13 SW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1100	4/-4	1/-8	-0/-9	-0/-9	-0/-9	0/-8	0/-8	0/-8	0/-7
900	5/-1	3/-4	2/-6	2/-5	2/-5	2/-5	2/-5	2/-4	2/-4
600	7/2	5/-1	4/-2	4/-1	4/-1	4/-1	4/-1	4/-1	4/-0
300	9/6	7/4	6/2	6/2	7/4	6/4	6/4	6/3	5/3
Glen	10/7	8/5	6/3	6/3	8/4	7/6	7/5	7/4	6/4
Freezing Level*	1900m	1200m	1100m	1100m	1000m	1100m	1100m	1200m	1100m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View

Feeling bitterly cold on higher slopes with strong winds. Difficult and potentially dangerous walking conditions on exposed ridges and summits.

Forecast for Monday 28 Nov 2022

Weather: Clear spells and scattered showers overnight, wintry above 800m, with a touch of frost in the glens. The showers will die out during the morning then a dry afternoon with plenty of sunshine. Dry with clear spell in the evening with a touch of frost developing.

Maximum wind: Southerly 25mph gusts 35mph overnight, decreasing to 15mph during the day.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 40% becoming 80%.

Low Cloud and visibility: Mainly excellent air clarity. Briefly poor in any showers overnight and during the morning with patchy cloud above 600 or 700m.

Temperature: **Glens:** Plus 3 or 4 Celsius rising to 8 Celsius, falling to 0 Celsius during evening.
At 800m: Plus 2 Celsius.
Freezing level: 1000m.

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